

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating the Cathedral High School Football team on winning the 2010 Class 4A state championship.

SCHNEIDER, MERRITT

_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating the Cathedral High School Football team on winning the 2010 Class 4A state championship.

Whereas, The Cathedral High School Football team captured the 4A state championship when they defeated Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, 31-20, on November 27, 2010;

Whereas, Dwenger entered the game as the highest scoring team in 4A, averaging 47 points per game. Cathedral played superior defense, and managed to hold Dwenger to 20 points;

Whereas, On three occasions when Dwenger advanced inside Cathedral's 20-yard line, Cathedral's defense tightened, recovering a fumble once and holding Dwenger to field goals twice;

Whereas, Cathedral Quarterback Connor Barthel completed 23 of 34 passes for 335 yards and two touchdowns. John Rice caught eight passes for 121 yards and a score, and Reece Horn had six receptions for 122



yards and a touchdown. Gino Gillum led Cathedral's rushing attack with 85 yards and a touchdown;

Whereas, Following the game, Cathedral Quarterback Connor Barthel was selected as the winner of the Phil N. Eskew Mental Attitude Award in 4A football. The award is presented annually to a senior in each classification who best demonstrates excellence in mental attitude, scholarship, leadership, and athletic ability;

Whereas, Connor Barthel set a single season school record for passing yards and was a co-captain of the team. He carries a 3.6 GPA and has been on the honor roll every semester. He is interested in studying sports administration;

Whereas, Cathedral's state championship was their third 4A championship in the past five years, and they are just the fifth school to win eight or more state championships; and

Whereas, The Cathedral High School football team's 4A state championship is an impressive accomplishment: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. The Indiana Senate congratulates the Cathedral High
2 School Football team on winning the Class 4A state championship.

3 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
4 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Head Coach Rick Streiff, Athletic
5 Director Jim McLinn, and Steve Helmich, President of Cathedral High
6 School.

